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GRAND TRUNK PETITIONS FOR ROAD IN THIS STATE

Corporation Organized to Build Road From Vermont Across State to Boston Terminal--Will Parallel Boston & Maine R. R.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 13.—James W. Remick, as chief counsel, and Robert Jackson, his associate, filed at 2.30 this afternoon at the office of the Secretary of State articles of association for the organization of what is known as the Southern New England Railroad. The route of the proposed road is to be from Lebanon, N. H., to Nashua, N. H., to be operated by the Grand Trunk Railroad.

The capital stock is to be $1,000,000. President Hayes, for the Grand Trunk Railroad, subscribes for $937,700. The other incorporators include 13 residents of New Hampshire and 12 non-residents. The proposed road will parallel the Boston & Maine from this city to Nashua, passing through Manchester. The provisional directors of the new road are to be Charles M. Hayes, Earl H. Fitzhugh, Montreal; Geo. C. Jones, St. Albans, Vt.; Eugene E. Reed, Manchester; George A. Carpenter, Wolfeboro; Rolland H. Spaulding, Rochester; James W. Remick, Concord.

STRIKE SITUATION REMAINS UNCHANGED

More Mill Operatives Return to Work this Morning.

(Special to The Herald.)

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 14—The strike situation remains practically unchanged, with the exception that more of the striking mill hands resumed work in the mills this morning. The trial of Ettor was resumed this morning and it is now thought that it will be practically finished today.

MANY IRON WORKERS CONNECTED WITH DYNAMITE PLOT

Many Arrests are Made in Principal Cities this Morning.

(Special to The Herald)

New York, Feb. 14—The investigation that has been in progress in connection with the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times resulted today in the arrest of fifty members, principally officers of the Iron Workers of the United States. These arrests were made in Boston, Chicago, Philadelphia Cincinnati, Los Angeles and this city. They are charged with shipping dynamite to Los Angeles and other places The many arrests caused a great sensation.

BANKER MORSE LEAVES FOR EUROPE

Boarded Steamer Quietly at New York Last Evening.

(Special to The Herald)

New York Feb. 13—Charles W. Morse, the bank wrecker, whose sentence was recently commuted by by President Taft, sailed today for Europe on the Hamburg American line steamer Kaiser Auguste Victoria He will take the bath treatment at Bad Narheim, Germany.

He and his wife, son and physician drove away from the Morse apartment in a taxicab last evening taking four large trunks with them. It was said at the apartments that Mr. Morse had intimated that he was going to Atlantic City, but within a few hours it was learned that Mr. and Morse were aboard the Kaiser Auguste Victoria at her Hoboken, N. J. pier.

Dr. A. R. Fowler, who accompanied Mr. Morse from Atlanta, Ga., who placed Mr. and Mrs. Morse aboard the steamer, said that he did not plan to accompany the banker and his wife to Europe. During the sea trip he will only be under the care of the ship's surgeon, he said.

EMBEZZLER WINSHIP IS STILL AT LARGE

The story which has been in circulation for the past three or four days that Fred L. Winship the former agent of the Columbian Insurance company of this city who is wanted for embezzlement, had been arrested in Rochester, N. Y., proved to be without foundation. The police of that city had learned of mail arriving there for another man of the same name and sent here for a picture and a sample of writing of the former Portsmouth agent, which was forwarded. Neither the picture or the writing fitted and the man wanted so badly is still at large.

CITY NEWS

Where did the Boxes Go?

Ever since Sunday last the ushers and sextion of one of the churches have been busily engaged in trying to been busily engaged in trying to locate the contribution boxes. When the time cam to pass the boxes they could not be found and the congregation was puzzled for a time at the absence of men who generally take up the collection at the regular hour. Their disappearance was due to the fact that they were doing a hunt for the boxes. Everybody smiled when they finally appeared with a hat and gathering the money from the worshippers.

Nothing but the Truth.

Today the Boston Herald comes out in it's editorial page with an article on Portsmouth navy yard, which is certainly well worth reading by the people of this city and the members of the Senate and Congress.

The article is right from the shoulder and contains nothing but true facts. Such truthful statements regarding our harbor and naval station are seldom seen in print. On the other hand we are called upon to defend the best station on the American coast against wild eyed reports and against the scores of knockers.

Mr. Gray Objects.

C. W. Gray, superintendent of the Consolidation Coal company, Portsmouth, New Hampshire, writes The Black Diamond as follows:

"In your issue of February 3rd, under the head of New England Trade and a date line of Boston, February 1st, you stated that tugs are constantly trying to keep channels open at such places as Lynn, Portsmouth, New Bedford and Providence, and have little success. Will you kindly correct this statement, eliminating the name of Portsmouth, as Portsmouth harbor is always open. There is never any difficulty in reaching any dock at any time of year. There is one advantage that Portsmouth has over any other harbor on the Atlantic coast, the fact that " never freezes over."

Why were they Left Out.

The veteran firemen of this city are not any too pleased that their association is not represented in the bowling schedule of the regular firemen which appeard on Tuesday. The veterans think this league should include all firemen and have reason to believe that their company can produce a team that can win against any of the active men. They don't hesitate to say, that when the alarm sounds they are good enough to get out and work with the regulars and help to save life and property, but they are not good enough in the considered when it comes to a little fun in the way of bowling. They think it will be a wise move to revise that schedule and include the red shirts.

Will Arrange Series.

President Robert I. Sudgen has appointed a committee consisting of J. Harold Hobbs, Dr. Eugene B. Eastman and himself to confer with a committee for Portsmouth Lodge B. P. O. E., in relative to a inter club bowling, pool and card tournament. The committee will meet at the Elks' home on Saturday afternoon.

Ejks' Third Social.

This evening the member of Portsmouth Lodge, B. P. O. E., will hold the third in their series of socials. Harry P. Mowe will entertain the assemblage by an exhibition of trick and fancy pool shots. Light refreshments will be served. These socials are proving very popular with the members of the order.

Even Dead Cats. . .

In the picking up of ashes and other rubbish by the city street department cart, the men are called upon to handle most anything which people care to dispose of. Recently one of the crew who work in the central part of the city was obliged to handle dead cats, rats and hens. This is the extreme limit and such work should be checked. The men would be doing nothing wrong in refusing to handle dead animals and should have been on their job by throwing such in the yard of the owner and then report the case to the board of health and police.

Sixteen in New Band.

The Franklin Pierce Veteran Firemen's association are very busy musically and will have something to march by the coming summer when those sixteen men are let loose with flutes and drums.

INSPECTED STATION

Captain S. H. Harding superintendent of the First life saving district which comprises the states of Maine and New Hampshire, went to the Isles of Shoals this morning to make an inspection of the station and crew at the islands. Notwithstanding the fact that the weather was decidedly cold, the genial superintendent did not let it interfere with his plans.

WEATHER FORECAST

Washington, Feb. 13—Forecast for Northern New England—Fair Wednesday and Thursday; warmer in Vermont Wednesday; moderate, variable winds.

Local forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Fair Wednesday and probably Thursday; somewhat warmer; light variable winds.

REPUBLICANS WILL NOT SUPPORT THE MEASURE

Mr. Mitchell Says There Will Be No Liquor Legislation.

The Portland Press of Tuesday says: Among the guests at the Lincoln banquet last night was Hon. Horace Mitchell of Kittery, one of the republican members of the last Legislature, and a gentleman who was among those 22 who voted with the Democratic party to submit the prohibition amendment to the people last September.

Mr. Mitchell lives on the edge of Maine and is besides a lawyer, publicist, citizen at large, the proprietor of the leading summer hotel of that interesting section of York county.

"We, out our way feel what Portland arvertising activity is doing," he said to reporter. "We stood still out there for some years. This year I will put $25,000 in additions to my modest hostelry. I can see the future of our State of Maine. Nothing can stop us. It is manifest, I am told, all along the coast for the coming season."

Representative Mitchell, who was among the so-called Republican insurgents on the prohibitory policy, allied with John A. Peters of Ellsworth, minority leader; Harry B Austin of Phillips, in Franklin county; Representatives Mallet of Freeport, and others, who totalled 22 Republican votes on the question of constitutional re-submission making, it possible for a vote upon the amendment last September, is not today in favor of a further attempt at the legislation projected by Gov. Plaisted in giving to the cities one form of liquor legislation and to the towns another; this form of two sets of a general law within one State which in a sense makes "fish of one and fowl of another."

Rep. Mitchell said on this point: "There were over a score of us Republicans in the last Legislature who put our strength to the Democratic party for resubmission. The Democratic party lacked some 14 votes of carrying two-thirds as the necessary majority to submit and when the count was made resubmission in both House and Senate had a safe majority.

"The matter was submitted to the people of Maine after a very trying campaign last September and although the vote was very close and there were several circumstances about voting in several towns the promises of the Democrats that an overwhelming vote to take this liquor question out of the constitution and place it in the control of the statutory law, failed.

"According to the instructory vote, as I understand it, at the recent meeting of the Republican State committee, the Republican party is pledged at its coming State convention to prohibition principles, and I believe that on that we will win.

"I gave my vote and support very heartily to the dominant Democratic party for resubmission of this question to the people in the firm belief that it would be settled It was not.

"I believe that all the 22 members of the Republican party in the special session in March will vote against the proposed plan of the Democrats to have the constitution amended so that cities may have one liquor law and towns a prohibitory law same as of old.

"I cannot see," concluded Rep. Mitchell, "how I can consistently give my vote for any such plan in view of the action of the Republican State committee and from the further fact that I believe the coming Republican State convention will put in a prohibitory plank in its platform."

ELIOT ECHOES

Arthur Davis of South Eliot is restricted to his home by a severe attack of pleurisy and is being attended by Dr. Durgin.

Mrs. Everett E. Walker remains critically ill at her home.

Mrs. Wesley Nowell is quite ill at her home on Bolt Hill.

There will be a Valentine social at the Congregational church tonight under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor.

The Herald for live local news.

AUDITOR HOBBS RETIRES AFTER YEARS OF SERVICE

Will Still Retain Vice Presidency of Railroad.

William J. Hobbs, a native of Kittery, for many years holding the position of general auditor of the Boston and Maine railroad, retired from that office on Monday and has been succeeded by Stewart H. McIntosh of Boston, who has been connected with the auditor's office for many years and was formerly located in that department at Concord Mr. Hobbs is still retained in the office of fourth vice president.

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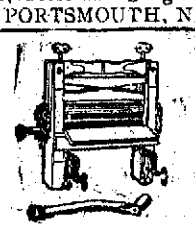

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ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

Interesting Items Gleaned from Near-by Places

The Frank E. Rollins company, U. R. K. P., will give a concert and ball at the Town hall, Thursday evening. Stiles Eighth Regiment orchestra of Lynn, Mass., will furnish the music.

"Our Wild Animal Neighbors" is the subject of a lecture to be given at the Town hall Wednesday evening by Ernest H. Baynes.

Chief of Police Charles G. Gooch who has been confined to the house for the past two weeks, has nearly recovered and will be able to resume his duties in a few days.

Mrs. Hannah G. Lowd, age 83, widow of Capt. Henry A. Lowd died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Coffin. She was born in Parsonfield, Me. Burial at Haverhill, Wednesday.

Wednesday afternoon George S. Connors athletic trainer for Phillips academy held a trial meet to qualify contestants in the 300 yard dash, mile run, high jump and shot put classes. Friday there will be a try-out for the 600 and 1000 yard run and Saturday for the relay team. These practice meets are being held for the purpose of selecting teams to go to Boston, Feb. 24, to attend the Boston A. A. Interscholastic meet. The Exeter delegation will go by special train.

The cold and frosty weather which has prevailed during the greater part of the winter has been hard on the Boston and Maine railroad in the way of causing broken rails, and there has been fourteen snap between here and East Kingston, while the last week, has caused the last cold wave to break between here and Newfields, while between Newfields and Rockingham there has been many fractured in the same manner, and probably from the same cause.

The block signal system has, however, prevented accidents in all of the cases or nearly all where the danger was imminent, as a broken rail causes the signals to set, and thus warn the approaching train.

The ice in the harbor here, and also on the Swansfot river has been frozen harder this winter, and it will probably require much warm weather for the river to open. The date of the last appearance of ice average bout March 25, and after that date the boating devotees reckon on launching their craft for the season.

Fishermen have been plenty in fishing through the ice, but not so large numbers are said to have caught as in other years.

Henry Buker of Chicago, Ill., a former resident here, spent a short period with relatives recently.

Petitions have been started for the restoration of train No. 844, which left here at 7:20 o'clock for Boston both here and in Durham, Atkinson, the former principally by the students at the State college and the other by business men going into Haverhill. Both are rapidly growing.

BITS OF SPORT

While Sam Langford was waiting in Australia for McVey to get ready to give a return match, Langford took on his old friend, Jim Barry in Sydney. As usual, Langford got the decision. The bout went the limit of 20 rounds.

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Exeter will be represented at the Interscholastic meet at Boston, Feb. 24, by a strong track team. A special train leaves Exeter at 12:30, Feb. 24, and many students will go to support the team. The relay team will be built on Capt. W. J. Bingham, M. T. Pearsall, M. T. Worthington and E. A. Teschner. A race is being arranged with Worcester.

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The National league baseball schedule for 1912 was adopted and made public at the meeting of the league club owners, held in New York Tuesday evening.

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The schedule provides for 154 games, as usual, but the season will be three days shorter than last year, beginning one day earlier and closing four days earlier. Play will begin April 11, with New York at Brooklyn, Philadelphia at Boston, Pittsburg at St. Louis and Chicago at Cincinnati. The season closes Oct. 8. Charles W. Murphy of Chicago was the most dissatisfied member because of conflicting dates with the American league on five Sundays during the season. The only other work accomplished by the league meeting today was the approval of a staff of umpires, which included two new judges of play. Clarence Owens formerly with the American association, was appointed to take the place of Hank O'Day, who has become manager of the Cincinnati club, and G. C. Bush of Davenport, Ia., was made emergency umpire. All the veteran umpires were retained.

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Mike Gibbons the St. Paul welterweight, won a hard fought ten round bout from Freddie Hicks of Detroit, at the Fairmont Athletic club, New York, Tuesday night. A majority of the ringside crowd gave Gibbons the better of every round, but the seventh which was even. In the first round both fought cautiously. Then Gibbons took the honors with hard straight punches. Gibbons beat Hicks badly for several rounds but the Detroit man fought back gamely and in the third Hicks landed a hard blow to the face. In the sixth Hicks tired Gibbons up with a hard left to the jaw. Then Gibbons tore into Hicks and punished him severely. Gibbons opened a gash over Hicks' right eye with a hard left hook. He tried hard for a knockout in the last round but the bell found Hicks holding on.

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NOT MISS GERTRUDE HETT.

It was Miss Florence Hett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hett, whose marriage to Mr. Clyde Norton was announced on Monday, and not Miss Gertrude Hett, daughter of John August Hett, as was stated in this paper on Tuesday.

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Abel Kiviat, Crack Miler, Now Ready to Show His Heels to Other Stars

New York, Feb. 14—Abel Kivit, the crack miler of the Irish-American A. C. of this city, who has been resting up for a month or more, is now ready to show his heels once more to his rival. Abie has been reeling off some fast miles in practice and expects to capture a number of races before the outdoor season opens. Outside of John Paul Jones of Cornell, Kivit is considered to be the best miler in America. He will be a member of the Olympic team that will go to Sweden next June. Should anything happen to Jones American will rely on Kivit to capture the mile event on the program.

Pure English.

"My dear, I wish you would speak more carefully," said a stickler for pure English to his wife. "You say that 'Henry Jones came to this town from Sunderland.' Don't you see that it would be better to say that he 'came from Sunderland to this town?'"

"I don't see any difference in the two expressions," rejoined the lady.

"But there is a difference in the two expressions—a rhetorical difference. You don't hear me make use of such awkward expressions. By the way, I have a letter from your father in my pocket."

"Oh, dear! Is my father in your pocket?" inquired the wife. "You mean that you have in your pocket a letter from my father."

"There you go with your little quibbles! You take a delight in harassing me. You are always taking up a thread and representing it as rope."

"Representing it to be a rope, you mean, dear."

And then he grinned a sickly grin and wished he had never started the discussion.—London Answers.

Advice to the Trustee.

In handling other people's money the principal must be kept intact. If, as a trustee, those to whom you are responsible insist upon an income which you in your heart know cannot be obtained without taking some slight chance, give up the trust without hesitation, says World's Work. There is no more bitter experience through which an honest trustee or executor can pass than the rendering of an accounting for a lost or depleted trust. No reason or excuse can weigh for an instant against the actual result which he faces. A single slip in the handling of funds like this may doom all future generations of that family to lives of poverty. This is the greatest responsibility ever laid upon a trustee, an executor, a banker or an adviser, and no honest man should assume it unless he is prepared to endure for the sake of the future all the criticism that may center upon him on account of extreme conservatism in the present.

Reminders of Napoleon.

"I never knew Missouri was filled with reminders of the Napoleonic wars until I took a trip over the Missouri Pacific's river branch to Boonville," a traveling man remarked. "Thoughts of the great struggle in France commenced to dawn upon me when the brakeman went through the train calling 'Napoleon.' I recalled the career of ambition of the great Corsican general and was allowing my thoughts to wander in that vein when the next station was announced—Waterloo. I began to recall further incidents and thoughts of the victorious general who blasted Napoleon's hopes of a great empire. Imagine my surprise when I found the next station was Wellington. The next stop had nothing to do with the French wars, so I thought the coincidences were over. But I wanted to learn the why of it all, so I asked the conductor. He didn't answer. He was Grouchy."—Kansas City Journal.

Read the Herald if you want local news when there is no moss on it.

CANARY AN ARDENT MOTORIST

Atlanta Man Has a Bird That Has Traveled More Than 20,000 Miles in Automobile.

Many dogs and cats regularly receive their airings in motor cars and have shown distinct preference for these rides, but a canary bird is the latest addition to the ranks of motorists.

Dick Levi of Atlanta, Ga., is the particular canary that has the distinction of being the first in this field and he is said to have traveled over twenty thousand miles in a motor car. J. E. Levi of Atlanta tells an interesting story of Dick. Dick's first ride in an automobile was in a Premier 24, bought by Mr. Levi in Philadelphia in 1906. Dick was one year old at that time, and with Mr. and Mrs. Levi his mileage around Philadelphia, including several trips to Boston, was ten thousand miles.

The three motorists made a trip of twelve hundred miles from Boston to Atlanta in October, 1906, being the first to cover this route in a motor car. They went by way of Baltimore and Philadelphia over the mountains, along the Southern railway. On several occasions they were out all night in their car, sleeping by the roadside. Mr. Levi says they spent three weeks in a constant rain during this trip, all the time running on low gear. Mr. Levi is almost always accompanied by Mrs. Levi, who is also an expert at the wheel of a car, and Dick is always the third member of the party. He has become so enamored of motoring that they are afraid to leave him at home for fear that he will do himself bodly injury. Motoring apparently apparently agrees with him, as he is extremely hardy and is a great singer. Besides his motoring he has made three trips to the Pacific coast and return by train. Mr. and Mrs. Levi would part with him under no conditions, an offer of $250 having been refused, it is said.

STRANGE KINGDOM OF NEPAL

Secluded Land at Foot of the Himalayas Where King George Went Hunting.

The ancient and interesting little kingdom at the foot of the Himalayas to which the king went for his shoot is nearer to being an independent territory than any other of the Indian states.

Since the eighteenth century it has been ruled by the Gurkhas, who furnish to the Indian army some of the most perfect soldiers in the world For practical purposes the country is almost as closely secluded from Europeans as Thibet, to which in many respects it is akin.

The Terai, where King George was lately encamped, is the low-lying jungle tract bordering on the Indian plain a region extraordinarily rich in wild animals, including elephants, the capture of which is a highly organized and valuable industry.

The maharaja of Nepal, whose death by the way occurred on December 11, was a titular sovereign only, the real ruler being the hereditary prime minister, who visited England a few months ago. He has the title of maharaja, and is entitled to a salute of nineteen guns.

One result of the jealous exclusion of foreigners, which the Indian government thoroughly respects, is that very little is known of a great part of Nepal, and that much of the available information as to social and economic conditions is mere guesswork. For close upon a hundred years the rulers have been our very good friends, and the force of eight thousand men headed by Jung Bahadur in the Mutiny was of inestimable service —Westminster Gazette.

State Will Not Pay Tips.

The anti-tipping campaign started by commercial travelers has enlisted a powerful recruit in W. E. Davis, state auditor of Kansas. Mr. Davis has decreed that Kansas state officials, when traveling on the state's business, are not entitled to charge the public treasury for tips paid. It cost Kansas just $3,000 in 1911 for tips distributed by state officials, and Mr. Davis has issued a set of rules for the benefit of employes who travel for the state, in which he says: "Tips or gratuities are recognitions of special service, not an actual and necessary expense for the service itself and will not be allowed." The controller of the treasury of the United States, on the other hand, has ruled that tips are a necessary incident of travel and are properly collectible from the public funds.

Value of History.

Old wrongs are so hard to root up that every man sometimes becomes impatient and indignant and rebellious, except the man who knows and has long pondered in the very slow ascent of human society to every higher level that it has reached. Historical knowledge is got only by considerable labor. Any good man who loves his fellows, when he looks out over the world and sees it as it is, is pretty certain at times to accept some revolutionary plan unless he have a pretty good historical perspective.—World's Work.

Proverb Amplified.

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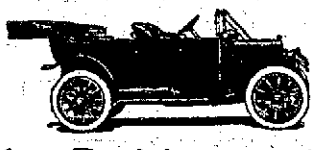
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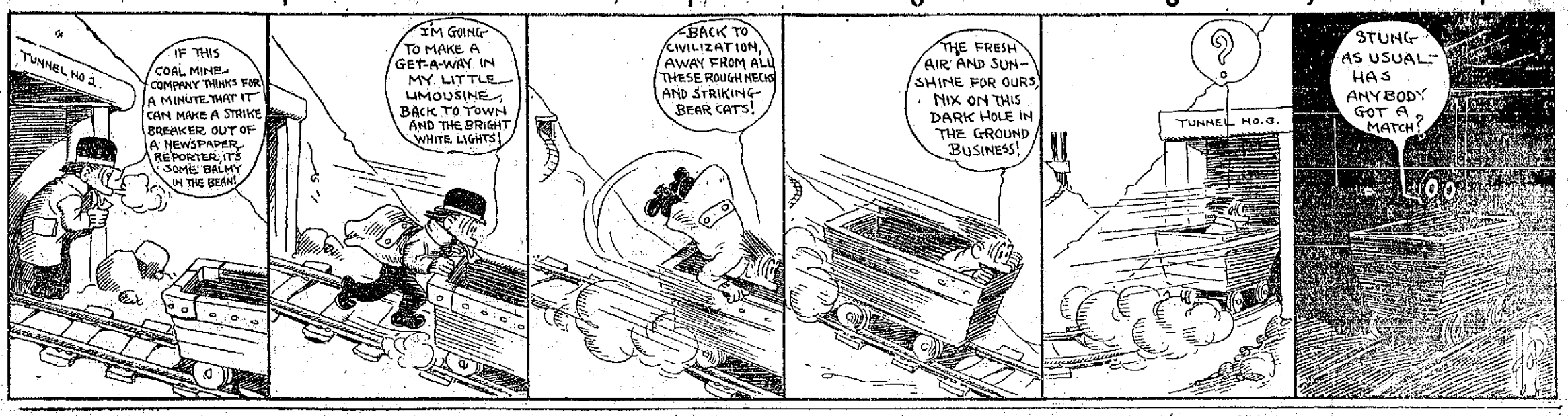
"SCOOP," the Cub Reporter Back to the Mines, Scoop, You're on the Right Car but the Wrong Track By Frank W. H pkins



MILITIA WILL REMAIN AT LAWRENCE FOR SOME TIME

City Police Force Unable to Handle Situation--City Must Prepare for Leaving of Troops.

Lawrence, Feb. 13.—Until the city of Lawrence has a special police force fairly adequate to cope with the ordinary developments of the pending industrial disturbance, the State militia will remain on duty here. But the time has arrived for the city to give serious consideration to some plan of self-preservation. In the four weeks of mob rule that the city has passed through the local police was wholly inadequate to meet the emergencies and could not even be expected to attempt any substantial preparations for the future. From Mayor Scanlon down to the newest patrolman on the force all have been busy with the single duty of helping to preserve order, dealing with the criminals who came into its custody. That this situation cannot continue indefinitely, that the militia must sometime be reduced and then withdrawn, and the whole responsibility thrown upon the local police authorities is now called to the attention of the city government by the State authorities themselves in order that the city may not be caught unprepared for what might happen when a semblance of order is restored.

Thus far the city has not done anything to meet eventualities. Its police force has not been materially increased since the outbreak of Jan. 13, when the first violent attack was made on the mills. It has relied upon the State militia and outside policemen. At present it has a strong detail from the Metropolitan police here, but even this is only a temporary arrangement, like the militia, and will be withdrawn when it shall seem safe, or when the city of Lawrence shall have had sufficient time to prepare for self-protection.

These are the reasons why Adjutant General Pearson came to Lawrence to interview Mayor Scanlon and members of the city government. He wanted to set the city fathers thinking along the lines on which they must shape their affairs in the future, and his conferences here will lead to more conferences at the State House on the same subject. Financial difficulties necessarily cause the city to act with extreme prudence in this matter, as the immediate building up of the police force to a basis adequate for the seeming requirements will cost large sums. If it is to be figured on the situation as it appears today, with the inflamed masses growing hungry and perhaps desperate, as idleness is prolonged, even five hundred special patrolmen might be unable to cope with the possibilities that theaten to confront them. As special policemen, armed as policemen, they would not be as awe-inspiring as the soldiers, who number about 1200 at the present time, armed—with—guns and bayonets.

The opinion appears to be general here, except among a certain part of the strikers, that it would be hazardous to withdraw the militia and cast the city back upon its own resources. The city government is practically unanimously opposed to such action. Mayor Scanlon insists that the militia must remain. While it is admitted that there has been no serious outbreak of violence since the memorable morning of Jan. 29, or since Ettor was arrested, the impression prevails that it is the presence of the militia that keeps the crowd in submission. As soon as the militia is taken away the unruly element might explode its pent-up energy and return to the practices which resulted in the call for the militia; that is the opinion expressed generally among business men and among timid operatives who would like to go to work. Some of the storekeepers have had direct warning that their stores will be entered and rifled as soon as the soldiers leave town, and this will be urged against the proposition.

CHOOSING A PROFESSION.

By F. E. Cardullo, Professor of Mechanical Engineering.

A great many young men and women enter our professional schools without a definite idea of what profession they should follow. A very large proportion of the young men who enter college are unable to complete the course which they first enter. Usually they fail because, for some trivial reason, they have chosen a course without reference to their real tastes and abilities.

A young man finds, for example, that wireless telegraphy or the telephone is a mysterious and fascinating subject, and forthwith decides to be an electrical engineer, although in many cases the mystery is due to the fact that his mind is not the type which readily comprehends such subjects. Examples might be multiplied indefinitely of young people who mistake their vocation. They do not understand the kind of work required of those who follow their chosen profession. They do not understand the kind of training necessary to make them successful in that profession. They even misunderstand their own tastes, aspirations and abilities and attempt to enter professions for which they are not fitted and in which they can never be successful.

No man should attempt to prepare himself for a profession until he has been advised by some one who understands both the profession itself, and the tastes and capacities of the young man. The adviser should be capable of analyzing the man's abilities, and characteristics. When such a thing is possible he should distinguish between native characteristics which are ineradicable, and acquired characteristics which are easily modified. In the same way when possible he should distinguish acquired ability which has been developed almost to its limit, by training, from inborn ability capable of almost limitless development. He must be able to distinguish between transient interests which depend upon mystery or pleasant associations, and fundamental interests which depend upon temperament and character. Fortunate is the young man who has a parent, a teacher, or a friend who can thus look into his mind and advise him as to his work in life. Every young man preparing himself for college should seek such a friend before he wastes his precious time and energy in attempting to prepare himself for something for which he is not fitted.

To every young man entering college I would say, "Do not come to college without a clear and definite idea of your true tastes and real abilities. Come with a straightforward and unbiased conception of the work of the profession which you intend to pursue. If you come with this knowledge, and with determination to succeed, your career will surely be successful even though it may not be brilliant. If you come led by superficial ideas and fanciful tastes, without any conception of your true abilities, you will waste your time, and until you find yourself, you will be dissatisfied and unsuccessful."

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EQUAL SUFFRAGE LEAGUE.

There will be an important meeting of the Portsmouth Equal Suffrage League Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 3.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. William O. Junkins, State street.

Mrs. Mary I. Wood will preside and she has several intimate messages to bring to the organization. Praspective members will be gladly added to the fast growing membership at this meeting.

WARWICK CLUB SMOKE TALK.

There is to be a smoke talk at the Warwick Club, Thursday, Feb. 22, at 8.30 p. m., and Mr. Reno B. Welbourn, a scientist, will talk on "In the year 2000." Refreshments will be served and the ararngements are being made by R. I. Sugden, E. S. Kent, C. E. Norris and J. G. Parsons.

There are a number of Valentine parties scheduled for this evening.

LOCAL DASHES

The County authorities made quick work of Alexander.

Change of Motion Pictures at Music Hall today.

Skating is good on all of the ice ponds, and there is excellent coasting on nearly all of the hills.

See the Hersey Brothers, Tambo and Bones, at Osgood Lodge's Minstrels.

The annual ball of the Alpha Council, Royal Arcanum, will be held this evening, and a special train will come from Dover and a special car from Exeter.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold a sale and entertainment in Freeman's annex on Feb. 15. Doors open at 7:30 Admission 15 cents. h2t

There is no shortage of coal in this city, although very few people can say that they will be able to get through the winter with the normal supply.

Go to Freeman's Annex February 15, and enjoy a pleasant evening, proceeds of same to be applied to the building fund of the new Methodist church. h2t

A number of the 1912 automobile licenses are appearing on the street. The number plate this year is a green letter with a white ground and it carries the year 1912 also.

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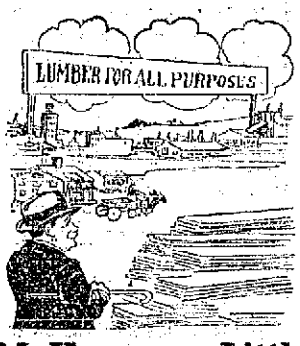
Admitted Assets	$587,130,263.05
Policy Reserves	473,282,808.00
Total Income	84,913,851.25
Total Disbursements	68,388,137.13

Payments to policyholders, $57,353,726.13, include dividends paid to the amount of $13,631,857.73; while the sum of $15,146,685.72 has been apportioned for dividends payable in 1912—an increase over the amount paid in 1911 of $1,514,827.99, and a larger sum than has ever been apportioned for dividends in a single year by any other company in the world.

JOHN HAFFORD, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

Three Members of Baseball Rules Committee Who Will Try to Straighten out Unprecedented Play

New York, Feb. 14—The rules of baseball is a bone of contention with the major league committee now in session. There is already a difference of opinion between the two chairmen John M. Ward for the National and Tommy Connolly for the American. The difference of opinion is about a play which occurred in Boston last season. With one out and a runner at first the batsman hit for a home run. The ball was thrown to the catcher, who touches out the man who had evidently scored from first base. The umpire called both runners out on the ground that the runner from first failed to touch second base and that the batsman was out for following the runner in who failed to touch one of the bases. Mr. Ward and President Lynch decided that the umpire was right in declaring both runners out. Mr. Connolly says the batsman should be allowed to score, for he was in no way responsible for the runner ahead of him not touching the bases in order.



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TWO DIFFERENT VIEWS.

The editorial and news columns of the Boston Globe are at wide variance as to the condition of Boston harbor. The following is taken from the editorial column:

"The recent extremely cold wave has added to the volume of testimony that Boston Harbor is the best one on the Atlantic coast for navigation purposes. It is an ice-free port. What this means to navigation needs no explanation. In the coldest weather there may be a few coatings of ice in some parts of our harbor, but nothing interferes with vessels entering or leaving the port. Other Northern ports are not so fortunate. Montreal has been frozen for many weeks and will remain so all Winter. The upper harbor of Portland is frozen hard and channels must be cut in the ice to allow vessels to depart. Even in the great New York Harbor the ice has demoralized the ferry service and the port officers have trouble in boarding ships. To Boston Harbor must be awarded the prize for being the best place for navigation in Northern waters all the year round. This is one of the strongest reasons why this port should be made a great center to handle commerce from all parts of the world."

The news column of the same issue contains the following:

"A fleet of harbor tugs was dispatched to different parts of the harbor today to break ice so that vessels could be docked and undocked. Tugs Sadie Ross, Mary Arnold and Joseph Ross were butting into thick ice at Spectacle Island so that a water scow and garbage lighters, which were towed down Saturday, could be taken to their berths. The vessels could not get within half a mile of the wharves on the island, and this morning some of the members of the crews walked ashore over the ice. Tugs Confidence and William Sprague broke through the ice in Fort Point Channel this morning and towed the barges Beverly and Lansford down from Swett street. Tug Francis C. Hersey was engaged in breaking a channel through the ice to Green's shipyard Chelsea, to release one of the big harbor lighters which was nipped in the ice there. After working for two hours this morning the tug Onward broke a channel through the ice to the Beason Oil Works at East Boston, hauled out the barge A. R. Company No. 78 and towed her up to Cambridge. Before the tug could get the barge up the Charles River she had to break ice for a mile. Tug Henry Preston, Sr., was ramming the ice at Jeffries Point, and other tugs were working at different parts of the harbor releasing vessels or opening up berths for incoming craft. The ice was heavily banked on the East Boston side of the harbor, and the upper Charles and the Mystic above Malden Bridge appeared to be frozen over solidly."

It would seem as though the indoor writer had not visited the water front when he began to claim everything for Boston harbor. For his enlightenment we wish to impress upon his mind that Portsmouth harbor is the only one on the Atlantic coast that has been ice free during the recent cold spell and has not needed any breaking out by tugs in order to reach the docks.

A Portland fisherman claims that as he was coming up Portland harbor on Monday afternoon he saw a strange sight. On a cake of ice which was floating down the bay were a large white-headed eagle, a gull and a crow, and all seemed happy together. When the boat came opposite the ice the eagle flew away. This was a true exemplification of brotherly love, notwithstanding the fact that Maine is supposed to be a "dry state."

The strike of the 2500 longshoremen in Boston has ended. The men will go back to work this morning. They go back at the old rates, and the closed shop idea is still maintained. A system of arbitration has, however, been established for the settlement of disputes, so that in the event of a disagreement work will be uninterrupted pending the adjudication of the difficulty.

BIRD'S EYE VIEWS

One of the best ways to save $25 has been found, if it is true, as somebody says, that you can see New York for that.

King George, in saluting the American flag, set a good example to a few of our rather obstinately resentful Canadian neighbors.

The long arm of the Russian police will never succeed in stopping Mr. Morgan Shuster when he gets ready to lecture.

The amateur actor, like the arctic explorer, often finds his greatest triumph in the fact that he survived the ordeal.

Amateur performers will regard Mr. Hook's name as symbolical of his fate.

When a man goes to the opera he enjoys hearing the music. When a woman goes to the opera, she enjoys hearing the music, and also seeing what the other women wear.

Even if you have lost your case, following your lawyer's advice, he doesn't make any reduction in his bill.

Perhaps it is true that a man can make a fortune of a million dollars honestly. Unfortunately, it is also true that a man can make a fortune of a good man ymillion dollars dishonestly.

The first simple speller was Josh Billings, and he had a sense of humor that Mr. Carnegie and his lieutenant simple spellers lack.

The big man who is planning betterments for his own people and other nations cannot be understood by the little politicians.

President Taft sizes up the discontent in Ohio as merely an insurrection of political malcontents. The malcontents insist that it is a revolution.

Roosevelt can only jump fifty feet on skis, but what worries them is that he can make the other fellows jump a great deal further than that without any skis.

If Mr. Taft has been walking out to the front gate to meet the postman, in hopes of a valentine from his old friend Theodore, it looks as if he would not get one this year.

With Dr. Salor just made president of Paraguay, and Dr. Sun president of China, it begins to look as if the astronomical system was determined to place old Mother Earth under its control.

The old masters will always retain their place as great artists, but when it comes to drawing the crowds and taking in the dimes and nickles, the moving picture men have them beaten to a frazzle.

An Oregon baby held its breath for fifteen minutes and lived. The St. Paul Pioneer Press doesn't believe there are many politicians that could do the same stunt and come out of it alive.

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FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Gleanings From Files of Portsmouth Chronicle

In Board of Aldermen meeting on Thursday evening, a communication from the Common Council, in relation to choosing certain officers at the next meeting of the two Boards was received and concurred in. These officers are six assistant marshals, harbor master, pound keeper, committee on truancy and three port wardens, the 30 days allowed the Mayor and Aldermen by law, in which to choose them, having expired, they must be selected in convention of both boards.

A resolution to inquire into the expediency of providing some building in a central portion of the city, in which to wash engine hose was passed.

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The Sebago was taken out of the dry dock at the Portsmouth Navy Yard on Wednesday. She was taken in for the purpose of adjusting her forward rudder.

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The rebel war department has issued an order to seize all the corn in the hands of distillers on account of the pernicious effects of the unlimited manufacture of whiskey, and the exorbitant price it thereby is obliged to pay for an article indispensible to the subsistence of the army.

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Plans are being drawn for the new hospital which is to be erected on the Navy Yard during the coming year. Its exact locality has not been decided upon.

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The U. S. gunboat Tuscarora, having been ordered off the docks at Southampton, Eng., has taken up a position near the Needles. The Nashville is still in dock at Southampton.

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A bill has been passed in the rebel Congress appropriating $2,000,000 for the benefit of the cause in Kentucky.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES

Portsmouth's Ice Free Harbor.

While Nantucket endures with patience its annual isolation, and Long Island Sound is obstructed with floating ice, Portsmouth proudly asserts that it is the most completely ice-free harbor on the New England coast.

The long cold spell, which has jammed the harbors of the coast as far south as Baltimore, has not been able to get a grip on the deep and rapid flowing waters of the Piscataqua Not only is Portsmouth harbor free of ice, but the river for miles above the city offers no obstruction to the the progress of a rowboat. The channel is open from Fox Point, at the entrance of Great Bay, to Dover, in other New England harbors channels are jammed with ice, and many vessels are frozen in. Should an old East Indianman endeavor today to make her dock in Salem the way would have to be broken open with tugs.

The ice embargo extends as far south as Baltimore. Chesapeake Bay has for weeks appeared more like the mouth of the St. Lawrence. With the bay frozen from the Susquehanna nearly to the York and Rappanhannock rivers, a distance of 120 miles, the open waters of the Piscataqua are an eloquent reminder of the value of Portsmouth as a winter harbor for commerce. That its harbor remains open throughout the coldest weather has long been Portsmouth's foremost claim for the maintenance of the naval station—Boston Herald.

Laws and Lawlessness.

For all that, there is probably no country so fond of making laws as this country. We read the other day that it is no longer possible to use with truth the expression "learned in the law," of any lawyer, as was formerly the case because the out put of statutes and of judicial interpretations of statutes is so enormous that, however, assidious in his study a man may be, it is physically impossible for him to keep with the law. Nor can this statement be greatly exaggerated. Laws even with biennial, sessions of many Legislatures, come in ever increasing volume and complexity. A progressive exchange has approvingly said within a few days that this country must look forward to an augmented social regulation, meaning thereby more laws to control the affairs of life now left to individual will. This country is filled with people who, when they see anything which fails to please them, rush at once to a Legislature for a prohibitory or regulative enactment; and if they have sufficient pertinacity they often succeed in obtaining it, not because the legislators want it, or the public demands it, but because the legislators hate to be continually bothered, and the public is too indifferent to make objection. Of making many laws there is no end, but one obvious effect of making many laws is that painful lack of respect described by Senator Borah.—New Bedford Standard.

Places for Man Who Acts.

In the present day young men in business should remember that every line of business wants the man who acts. Every institution wants him. He does not stop to complain; he acts. He accomplishes results and these accomplished results speak more loudly in his favor than acres of subsidized newspapers. What the world wants, what the world rewards, is the man who acts. Discouragement and failure are meaningless nothings to him; results are the substantial things for which he strives and attains. There is a settled air of assured success in his manners and movements. There is no trouble in selecting him from the crowd. He can be picked out just as unerringly as his opposite, who abides with discouragement and failure, and they leave a more attractive imprint on the countenance. Men who can do things in industrial, commercial and financial life are as scarce as the opposites are plentiful. The tree of opportunity is ever waiting for the man who does things. Opportunities are not scarce, they are plentiful, more plentiful than ever since history was written. They await the poor boy who does thingswithout looking at the clock. People who are always looking at the clock never amount to much in anything. Men who do things never consult the time to see if they can stop; they know time "was made for slaves," not for verile men who enthusiastically do things. Employes who frequently consult the clock will always be employes with no hope of rising. The man who does things may in his absorption forget his meals or his bed, but his opposite will be ever ready ahead of time for both or either. Concentration of thought and absorption in inflexible purpose mark the man who does things. Looseness of the thought or scattering of purpose mark the man who never does anything. The public soon knows the one from the other, and accords him the recognition he deserves. The man who does things is always at a premium, his services never go begging, he is ever welcome, success attends his footsteps, and failure stands aloft from him.—Dover News.

RAILROAD NOTES

The signal department of the terminal division, Boston and Maine road, is relocating the electro pneumatic switch cylinders connected with tower B plant at Prison Point, for the purpose of avoiding extra moisture from Millers river.

By a recent order there will be no change in Boston and Maine uniforms the coming summer season. Conductors, electric car conductors and motormen will draw uniforms free. If last summer's uniforms of baggagemasters and brakemen will pass inspection they will be permitted to wear them; if not, they will be allowed to supply such parts as may be needed to make the uniform serviceable and presentable.

The motive power department of the New Haven road received from the Readville shops at South Boston yesterday five Baldwin mogul six wheel connected passenger engines, which will be placed in Boston and Hartford, Conn., service after receiving trial trips.

The grievance committee representing the trainmen and the officials of the Boston and Maine are still in session at the Quincy house, Boston, over the schedule. While another side will talk it is said the conference has been the warmest in years.

Telegraph operators Berry and Beaton of the depot are passing the day in Boston.

The car service department of the Boston and Maine road has received from the Concord shops a number of two side door combination cars for baggage and express business on Boston and Keene, local trains.

In the future all trains on the Portsmouth branch will not exceed speed of 15 miles per hour in passing Burberry Lane crossing in this city.

Arthur Whiting of this city baggagemaster on the Portsmouth branch who has been passing a greater part of the winter in California, has started on his homeward trip and is at present making a stay at Seattle.

The crew dispatchers of the eastern district, New Haven road are in session at South station for the purpose of working out details connected with advance time card figures.

Mrs. Ella J. Nute of Lynn was yesterday given a verdict of $5250 and her husband, Henry O. Nute, was given $1500 to cover the expense of medical attendance and loss of her services in their suits against the Boston and Maine railroad.

Mrs. Nute boarded a train at Lynn on Sept. 26, 1905. A disturbance arose between strikers and strikebreakers and several shots were fired As the train was slowing down near the West Lynn station Mrs. Nute jumped while the train was in motion, being afraid that she would be shot or knifed. She fell and received various injuries.

A BUSY PLACE

Notwithstanding the fact that this is the quiet season of the year, a visit to work shop attached to Beacham's garage shows a decidely busy place, many automobiles being overhauled for the coming season. The exhibit of automobiles to which one side of the garage is devoted, is attracting many persons.

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BOWLING

Beane's Clerks Still Undefeated--Market Street Clerks Opened Series With a Win--Firemen's League Schedule--Renner Won Elks' Roll Off.

Roll Off at the Elks' Alleys.

The last roll off of the winter at the Elks' alleys was held on Tuesday evening. Hereafter owing to the number of team matches, and the fact that the firemen have secured the alleys for Tuesday and Friday evening for their team schedule, the roll offs will be done away with and instead a daily prize will be given for the highest single string.

The pins were not falling very good last evening and the scores ran below the usual standard. Jack Renner got first money with 297, and Sam Kingsbury was second with 294, George Woods took third with 288, and C. Kingsbury got the consolation with 282.

The summary:

Renner,	108	85	104—297
S. Kingsbury,	83	113	98—294
Woods,	112	82	94—288
C. Kingsbury,	90	98	94—282
Ham,	92	88	94—274
Miskell,	77	81	113—271
Badger,	83	86	97—266
Caswell,	85	101	80—266
Stillson,	96	84	84—264
Berry,	103	71	91—265
F. Hersey,	83	87	91—261
Flanagan,	80	84	88—252
Haley,	81	77	85—243
Dow,	71	101	69—241
Pecumias,	77	71	90—238
Brooks,	71	82	82—235
Loughlin,	77	77	80—234
Davis,	79	76	76—231
Shannon,	72	81	82—235

Beane's Clerks Still Unchecked.

The bowling team representing N. H. Beane Co., continued their victorious work on Tuesday evening at the Elks' alleys by defeating the team from Fred W. Lydston Co., by 175 pins. The winning team rolled their highest score of the series, 1194, and George Woods was high man with 283 and his 104 was high single. Ham was the only one on the losing team to roll anywhere near in form.

The summary:

N. H. Beane & Co.

Craig,	69	82	76—	227
Rowell,	81	83	73—	237
Clark,	83	68	64—	215
Miskell,	77	81	74—	232
Woods,	87	104	92—	283
	397	418	379	1194

Lydston's Clerks.

Pettigrew,	72	63	64—	199
Marshall,	54	73	83—	210
Sanborn,	55	52	83—	190
Rugg,	53	50	62—	165
Ham,	92	78	85—	255
	326	316	313	1019

Have the Goods.

The Market street clerks signalized their entrance to the bowling game by defeating the Shipfitters bowling team, in a rattling good game at the Arcade alleys on Tuesday evening. The clerks rolled 1401 which is going some for a starter. Haglan was high man for the winners with 289, and Whitehouse was high for the losers with 297.

The summary:

Market Street Clerks.

Caswell,	97	80	95—	272
Goodwin,	86	87	111—	284
Crosby,	87	89	100—	276
Petraski,	86	93	101—	280
Haglan,	90	96	103—	289
	446	445	510	1401

Shipfitters.

Jones,	93	78	93—	264
Fields,	90	74	67—	231
Hudson,	77	79	75—	231
Whitehouse,	111	86	100—	297
Fisher,	81	76	95—	252
	452	393	440	1275

Roll Off at Arcade This Evening.

The roll off at the Arcade alley for the Boston American bowling championship will be held at the Arcade alleys this evening. There are fourteen entered and each man will roll five strings.

The firemen are getting in trim for their bowling matches which will be started the 20th, and some great sport is expected. The Board of Engineers are to have a team composed of the three members, Francis Quinn of the Chemical and one of the permanent men.

The telephone crew have worked up a bowling team and with Jack Cullen as captain are ready for any of the clerk's teams.

EDISONIAN THEATRE.

The past week was one of immense success for the management of the Edisonian.

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"Roberta," the great Serpentine dancer and another big act. We have secured an exceptionally good picture program for Monday and Tuesday.

"The Little Chaperon," this is a very pleasing comedy, one of its strongest points is the clean cut drawing of its characters. The little chaperon herself is very pleasing. She gets her part over in first class shape. A burglar fell in love with her big sister. She was a determined and resourceful little prude. She watched like a lynx for a minute so the young people decided to elope, but sister left the letter unguarded for a minute and little chaperon got the village constable to arrest the young man.

"His New Wife," a country village farcial story of two comical characters, Ebenezer Skate and his new wife. Eb.'s wife got drunk on cider. The Elder was coming to call, so Eb. wheeled his wife out to the barn in the wheelbarrow. She was very fat. A small boy saw the wife being wheeled out and spread the report that Eb. had murdered her. He had just got rid of the Elder when the sheriff came with the boys. They knew what the matter was of course. It is a picture well designed and acted. It also has the atmosphere of a good old fashioned country story.

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KITTERY LETTER

Breezy Items from Village Across the River

Kittery, Feb. 14.

Last evening at Tarip Academy hall Mary Baillie, author-entertainer, gave a very pleasing recital. It is much regretted that more did not attend as her readings were of a unique character and her impersonations remarkably true, to nature. She gave two selections from the work of Dickens' and her other readings included, "A Good Customer," "Piano Practice," Lullaby," "Darky Dance," "A Quiet Evening at Home," "A Couple, A Justice and A Dog," While here Mrs. Baillie was the guest of Miss Eleanor Lowell.

The evening mail was delayed on Tuesday owing to trouble at Badger's island.

A new socity has been formed by the younger members of the Second Christian parish, which will be known as "The Phoebes." The first meeting was held Monday evening with Rev. and Mrs. Arnaldo Natino, and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Elmer J. Burnham; Vice President, Miss Sadie E. Bickford; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Edwin Bowden. The organization will assist in the welfare of the church, and the following will act as the entertainment committee: Miss Sadie E. Bickford, Mrs. Frank Smith, Miss C. Mildred Donnell and Miss Frances Gilson. They will meet every other Friday evening. Last evening was pleasantly passed with musical selections and dainty refreshments were served by the Misses Ruth and Methyle Natino.

Invitations have been sent out for the 17th annual reunion of the Kittery Alumni association which occurs on Wednesday evening of next week at Wentworth hall.

Reginald son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moulton, is improving from his severe illness

"Valentine boxes" will be the feature of today's session of the local schools.

The Pine Hill whist club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Ernest Jackson of Rogers Road.

This evening at the Second Methodist church occurs the valentine party by the Ladies' Aid Society.

Whipple Lodge, I. O. G. T., meets this evening at Grange hall.

The sum of $45 was realized from the recent drama by the seniors and juniors of Traip academy.

MR. DOOLEY SAYS.

That He Writes Only for the Boston Sunday Globe in New England—A New Series by the Foremost Living Humorist James Montgomery Flagg's "Kitty Cobb" Series in the Sunday Globe Is Making a Popular Hit.

The reading public all through New England has cause to appreciate the wonderful galaxy of writers of National fame whose articles appear in the Boston Sunday Globe. In no other paper in New England appears the timely and philsophical humor of Mr. Dooley. He and his friend, Mr. Hinnessey have a way of hitting the nail on the head every time. Mr. Dooley bids fair to add to his laurels by the new series just begun in the Snuady Globe.

"The Adventures of Kitty Cobb" by one of the most famous artists in the country, James Montgomery Flagg, is another feature of the Sunday Globe. The large and dramatic drawings tell their own story, and Mr. Flagg's subject is one full of human interest—the story of a simple country girl in the large city. When the series is finished, Globe readers will have a book of pictures of great value.

George Ade is another author whose writings hit the popular fancy. His fables of the 1912 model now running in the Sunday Globe are better than any this famous author and playwright has produced.

The Sunday Globe's magazine section is contributed by a long list of capable writers, on subjects of world-wide interest. James B. Morrow's interviews with famous men, Frank G. Carpenter's articles on travels in foreign lands, and Mr. C. B. Lewis' column of humor, which tells of the troubles of Mr. Bowser, are alone worth the price of the paper.

Other well-known Sunday Globe contributors are George Alfred Townsend and T. P. O'Connor.

The Boston Sunday Globe, as always, contains all the news, the best illustrations and the cleanest and funniest comic section printed by any Sunday newspaper.

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and many other useful and necessary articles for the household, many of which are displayed in our window, you will find upon investigation our prices are the lowest in the city.

KITTERY POINT

What Is Happening in the Harbor Town

The Sleepy Hollow club was entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. William Blake at her home in North Kittery.

E. C. Palmer of Peabody, Mass., was in town on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Daniel Frisbee is confined to her home by illness.

The 11:30 car from Badger's island Monday night jumped the track near the residence of George Frost at the Lower Foreside, but was brought up in its wild career by a convenient stone wall, and arrived in Kittery Point at about 3 a. m.

Mrs. Tourson Patch chaperoned the sleighing party of Mitchell school pupils to York on Monday evening.

E. H. Osgood of Boston was a business visitor in town on Tuesday.

George Lambert has resumed his duties at the navy yard, having recovered from his recent injury.

Mrs. Mazie Brown of Kittery was the guest on Tuesday of Mrs. John Randall.

Mrs. L. H. Sawyer and Rev. Winfred Coffin passed Tuesday with Mrs. Curtis Clink in North Kittery.

H. A. Eilhart of Portsmouth has concluded his duties as night engineer at the A. S. R. R. power house in this place.

Charles Tobey, Sr., is confined to his home by illness

Mrs. Levi R. Moore and son Russell passed Tuesday with friends in Portsmouth.

At a late hour Tuesday afternoon the trolley wire on the Atlantic Shore line took a tumble to the roadway from a point about half way across the Badger's Island bridge to the corner of Newmarch and Government street. By walking this distance passengers were able to take cars for their destination, but the evening mail to this place was held up for nearly two hours.

Mrs. Winfield L. Tobey passed Tuesday with friends in Portsmouth.

Members of the Good Luck club entertained their husbands on Tuesday evening by a Valentine party at the home of Mrs. Vernon Smith. Whist was enjoyed for a couple of hours, prizes being awarded as follows: Ladies, 1st, Mrs. Victor Amee; 2nd, Mrs. T. Burton Hoyt; 3rd, Mrs. Ernest Tobey. Consolation, Mrs. Luther Chase Lewis. Gentlemen: 1st Fred Chase; 2nd, Luther Lewis; 3rd, T. Burton Hoyt. Consolation, Perley Tobey.

The dining room was tastefully decorated with hearts, cupids, arrows, and other appropriate devices. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake, candy and coffee were served. Mrs Smith was presented with a cut glass dish and set of roasters by members of the club.

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Christian church will meet this evening with Mrs. Winfield Tobey.

LOCAL DASHES

Charles M. Rand of Rye will erect three new dwellings on Richards avenue in the spring.

Quite a number of the scholars at the high school are absent owing to having the measles.

The advantages of Portsmouth harbor are at at last being recognized by some of the Boston papers.

See Big Bill Appleton, Fred Trask, Dr. Inglis and Shorty Howe, the end men, at Osgood Lodge's Minstrels.

TROLLEY CAUSES DELAY.

The breaking of the trolley wire on the Atlantic Shore Railway on Newmarch street on Tuesday evening, held up traffic for nearly an hour until the repairs were made.

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VIOLA ALLEN IN THE HERFORDS

The fifth and positively last week of the engagement of Miss Viola Allen in Rachael Crothers' greatest play "The Herfords," at the Plymouth Theatre, Boston, will begin on next Monday. If you haven't seen this absorbing play of mother love don't lose this last opportunity. If you fail to witness this play you will always regret it. "The Herfords," deals admirably with a modern subject that all modern women are combatting with, has proven one of the greatest plays in recent years. It is a play of mother love versus career and the manner in which the former conquers is best told in the last act in the scene between mother and daughter. The scene which is being discussed by all those who have witnessed the play, is one of the best scene which Boston has witnessed in a long time. This wonderful catechism by the mother—the laying open of the soul and exposing the innermost thoughts of the daughter is doubtless a most dramatic incident. It is a wonderful insight to the heart of woman. The mother love here in expressed, the ingenuousness of the 16 year old daughter as she confesses her love affair with the school chauffeur, the shock to the mother as she realizes her baby has grown and formed an attachment for one of the opposite sex and the mothers' tactful "third degree" of the daughter is a work of art. The scene is remarkably displayed of how mother love supercedes above all. While the scene is most pathetic it is nevertheless punctuated with splendid humor. Don't forget that this is the last week of the engagement. Send in your order for seats now There will be an extra matinee Washington's birthday. Make all remittances payable to Fred E. Wright, Manager, Plymouth Theatre, Boston.

BOWLING NOTES.

Bass' Drug store is the latest to enter a bowling team and they are now looking for games with some of the other clerks.

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SHIPPING COMPLETELY TIED UP BY ICE PACKED SOUND

Embargo Greatest in Memory of Man and Only Powerful Steamers Able to Get Through--Three Consolidation Coal Co. Barges Lost.

Woods Hole, Feb. 13.—One of the greatest ice embargoes within the memory of man along these shores completely choked Nantucket Shoals, the important path of shipping around Cape Cod, last night, a vessel of any kind is passing here.

The ice pack that for over a month has been clinging to the shores of Cape Cod from Chatham to Hyannis, Cotuit and off Falmouth, finally became a part of the vast ice pack that has cut off far away Nantucket from communication with the mainland for more than a week, choking the channel over the shoal from the Handkerchief Lightship westward and extending in an unbroken mass from that beacon to Great Point, Nantucket, and beyond.

According to the officers of the Gresham, which left here at an early hour this morning to go to the assistance of three schooners that are imprisoned in the ice a short distance north of the Handkerchief Lightship, the ice on the shoals is of unusual thickness, averaging over six inches, and none but steamers of great power can make the least headway through it.

In countless places the ice pack has become fastened to the shoal places on either side of the main ship channel from the Hedge Fence Shoals Lightship, off Martha's Vineyard, to the Handkerchief, a distance of nearly 20 miles, while from the latter ship to Great Point, Nantucket, a distance of about six miles, nearly due south, the ice in a solid barrier chokes the ship channel that leads out to the Great Round Shoal Lightship.

From the harbor at Nantucket to Bass River at South Yarmouth the distance is about 25 miles, and this morning the sailors along the coast from the harbor at Nantucket to Bass River at South Yarmouth the distance is about 25 miles, and this morning the sailors along the coast each barge, were brought here this noon by the wrecking tug Anderton and a half-dozen ocean-going tugs that are battling in the ice fields, engaged in rescue work, no steamer by the big ice floes and carried on to the shoals. The Mayer was unable to reach them and returned here for help. Last night the tug Anderton went to their assistance and finding them fast on the shoals, took off the crews with some difficulty and landed them here.

An effort will be made to save the barges when the weather moderates and in case they are not swept out into the Atlantic or broken up, I believe that the ice pack between those two points could be crossed on foot in safety.

A number of years ago several venturesome fishermen of Nantucket crossed the ice pack that stretched from the shores of that island to Hyannis Harbor, and it is believed that the feat could be repeated under the present conditions.

Long Hours on the Gresham.

The Gresham, which returned to port here yesterday afternoon, is not expected to return for several days or until every vessel that is imprisoned in the ice pack has been towed to a safe anchorage, if it is possible to accomplish the task, and the other distressed crafts along the coast have been rendered the assistance they require.

Woods Hole, Feb. 13.—The two barges 7 and 16 of the Consolidation Coal Company of Baltimore, which the steamer Charles F. Meyer left in the ice off Great Point yesterday were abandoned today by their crews and may prove a total loss, as both are fast aground on the shoals. The eight men, four from

THE FORESTRY LITERATURE.

Mr. E. C. Hirst, State Forester, will be the speaker at the Y. M. C. A., on Thursday evening, and his subject will be, "The Forestry Literature in New Hampshire."

NOTICE.

All goods left at our office six month and over, will be disposed of. Odams and company, room 4, Freeman's Block h3t

A Chinese Printing Office.

The difficulties of making up a font of Chinese types are very great. Kang Hsi's dictionary, the standard and most comprehensive work of its kind, contains 40,890 characters, but it has been found that for all practical purposes a font need contain only about 7,000. With a font of this size the Chinese printer, in the course of setting up a book, will frequently find that he lacks a dozen or so unusual characters, a difficulty which he meets by having these missing symbols hand cut on blank type by skilled engravers. Although practically all Chinese newspapers and books on modern topics are now printed from movable metal type, books pertaining to old China, such as the Confucian classics and the commentaries on them, are still produced by the time honored method of printing from wooden blocks.

Press Enterprise In the Early Fifties.

A bit of up to date enterprise on the part of the Picayune in 1853 was the early publication of the president's message. Printers were sent on a steamboat to Mobile by the paper to secure the message. As soon as they arrived there they boarded the Northern steamer, which, of course, reached Mobile before New Orleans, and put the message in type on their way home aboard ship, so that on arriving at the office of the Picayune it was all ready to be printed.—From B. F. Zeller's "Recollections of the Early Fifties," in New Orleans Picayune.

A Philosopher.

"My! You wanted fried potatoes, didn't you?" said the careless waitress as the customer in the restaurant finished his meal and rose to leave.

"That's all right," answered the patient man. "I've wanted so many things all my life that I didn't get that I'm used to it."—Newark News.

Wonderful Man.

"Where is he from?"

"I don't know, but I think he was raised on a desert island."

"What in the world makes you think that?"

"He says no woman ever made a fool of him."—Houston Post.

Study and Discipline.

By the toilsome road of study a scholar learns to get joy out of books and stones and trees. By the hard road of discipline a man learns to get joy out of everyday living.

He Saw It.

"There was a terrible accident at our house last night," said a wag. "As I was sitting in the dining room I happened to look out, and I saw the kitchen sink."

And now ye of
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Give Ear

Unto The Word

There may be a way to make your daily life more comfortable.

You must keep on "sawing wood" for the family, you know, but when the vital forces recede a bit and you join the "cadaverous" army, look sharp to your food and drink. Remember this fact that one wide-spread cause of a brain worker's down-fall into nervous prostration and a variety of disorders is

Coffee and Tea

Don't believe it! You say.

Make test and convince yourself, for therein lies a chance for relief. Try leaving off the coffee and tea for ten days. Use in their place good, well-made

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There is no joy on earth quite so satisfying as the PERFECT POISE OF HEALTH. Generally it's yours for the taking.

Hear Ye! Hear Ye!

"There's a Reason"

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A Bunch of Violets

By CLARISSA MACKIE

It was one of those uptown cross-streets whose dividing line is Broadway. No. 87, west, was one of many handsome stone dwellings, while No. 87, east, was merely a shabby boarding house given over to the accommodation of working girls.

Esther Mason wearily climbed the stairs of No. 87 east, and paused as Mrs. Beggs' shrill voice called her name from the hall below.

"Here's something for you—a boy left it a few minutes ago—flowers, I guess! Suppose your beau sent 'em," said the boarding house mistress as Esther descended the stairs.

The girl's face flushed as she took the square box and examined the address on the violet and gold cover. "Miss Esther Mason, No. 87 East ——sixth street." Surely it must be for her, and yet—who would send her a box of flowers on her birthday? Save for the few persons in the office where she was employed she had scarcely an acquaintance in New York—and as for the home people? Esther swallowed a little sob and with a murmured word of thanks to Mrs. Beggs she ran lightly up the stairs to her little room and tossed the box on her narrow bed.

When she had removed her outdoor things she bathed her face and brushed her dusky hair into satin smoothness before she sat down.

All the home folks had passed away to another and more beautiful country two long years before Esther had taken her small patrimony and gone bravely to the great city to make her way among thousands of wage-earners. The investment of her money had brought her a business education, and she had slowly worked her way upward until now she could look forward to the time when an increased salary might permit of a more congenial home. In the meantime the little bank account must grow larger.

This was her birthday and she alone knew it. It was a strange coincidence that some one—some new-found friend might send her some flowers on that day.

She lifted the cover and gazed with delight upon an immense bunch of violets. Their fragrance filled the tiny room and Esther felt a certain sense of luxury in their possession.

Still mystified and yet with a feeling of relief that she might not be obliged to return the gift to some unrecognized donor, she arose with the quick decision that was characteristic of her and changed her gown for the pretty pale gray that was her best.

When the large gray hat with its single long gray feather was perched on her pretty head and the fragrant violets were pinned at her waist, Esther ran down the stairs and knocked at the door of Mrs. Beggs' sitting room.

"I am going out to dinner, Mrs Beggs," she called softly, and then, before the older woman could frame a question, the girl had closed the front door behind her slender form and was speeding down the street toward the avenue.

It was after 6 o'clock and the streets and shops were brilliantly lighted. Esther hummed a little song as she turned into Fifth avenue and made her way toward a large and fashionable hotel.

She knew all about this hotel—rich and fashionable people dined there every night. This was her birthday and she was alone. She would treat herself to the luxury of a perfectly cooked dinner and while she listened to the music she might see all these great people whose gay doings filled much space in the newspapers.

Ten minutes later she was seated in a quiet corner of the immense restaurant with hundreds of tables glittering with silver and cut glass.

As she ate the delicious meal, the payment for which would drain her purse to the bottom, her beautiful eyes took in the varied charm of the scene. The handsome gowns of the women; the quiet well bred air of the men; the lovely girls, most of them her own age, to whom this dinner was a common occurrence.

At the next table to Esther's sat an elderly woman, gowned in soft black lace with a jeweled butterfly quivering above her snow white hair. With her was a tall young man with serious gray eyes and handsome face bent above the menu card. In the pauses of the music their conversation floated in snatches to the young girl at her solitary table.

"You are not wearing my violets, Aunt Esther," said the young man after a while. "You said you wanted violets."

"I haven't received them, Dick," returned his companion; "I supposed you had forgotten them or that you would stop for them on the way to the theater."

"They were ordered—let me see, I bought them in a little shop just off the avenue—some German name, Reinz, I believe—he said he would send them over immediately. Some mistake, I suppose, for I distinctly told him they were for Miss Esther Mason, 87 West ——sixth street." The young man lifted his eyes and encountered the gaze of a pair of startled brown ones whose like he had never seen before.

In wondering delight he noted the brown of the eyes, and the distinct black of the curling lashes and delicately marked brows.

"What is the matter, dear?" asked his aunt anxiously.

"Nothing—just a twinge," he evaded quickly.

"Gout?" Her tone was playful.

"No—heart," he said grimly.

Esther watching them with fluttering her, touched the bunch of cool violets at her waist with trembling fingers. She had heard the conversation about the violets and understood. The name on the florist's box had been "Reinz" and there was another "Miss Esther Mason" for whom the blossoms had been purchased. A stupid shopman and the mere difference of east and west—and a singular coincidence of names—had completed the tangle.

The violets were not hers. They belonged to that beautifully gowned woman at the next table who was drawing on her white gloves and preparing for her departure.

Esther paid the waiter and slipped into her loose gray cloak. With a graceful movement she crossed to the next table and bent over her astonished namesake.

"I must ask your pardon," said Esther composedly, "but I could not help overhearing your conversation about the violets. My name is Esther Mason and I live at 87 East ——sixth street. Tonight I received this beautiful bunch of violets and as there was no card—why I just thought they came because it was my birthday. It did not occur to me there might have been a mistake—the address was so plain on the box."

As she spoke, Esther unpinned the flowers and laid them on the table beside Miss Mason, but the older woman thrust them back into her hands.

"No, no, my dear, you must keep them; it is your birthday—and I am very glad that you have them." She smiled sweetly at the lovely young face bent above her own and as she looked, a puzzled expression came into her eyes. She flashed a quick glance toward the table where the girl had been sitting, and then added: "You are alone—here—tonight?" Perhaps your friends are waiting for you."

Esther flushed and drew back. "I am all alone," she said with dignity. "I came here to dine this evening because it was my birthday and I wanted a treat—the violets tempted me—they seemed to lure me into spending one delightfully luxurious evening. If you will not take the violets, Miss Mason, let me thank you for them and say good-night."

She turned away with a slight inclination of the head, but the older woman's hand caught hers and detained her.

"Wait a moment, please. You did not understand me, my dear. I asked about your friends because I thought I might recognize among them one whom I knew—your face is so familiar—it is very like—someone I knew." Miss Mason's own face was pale now and her dark eyes shone strangely.

Esther hesitated an instant, then her firm white chin went up never so slightly. "I am sure you cannot have known my people, Miss Mason. You see, No. 87 East is a boarding house and I am merely a working girl. My people are all dead." Her lips quivered slightly, and Dick Redmond suddenly dropped his eyes from her face and twisted his dinner card viciously.

Miss Mason leaned back a little wearily and dropped the girl's hand. "I am very sorry," she said gently; "but I was sure—you look so like Tom Mason, he was my cousin."

"My father's name was Tom Mason—Tom Henry Mason they called him," said Esther quietly. "You see we are Maryland people. They are all dead—every one save some distant cousins whom I have never seen."

Miss Mason arose quickly and slipped her arm around Esther's waist. "My dear girl," she half sobbed. "Tom Henry Mason was my cousin—on the other side of the house, Dick—and I really believe you were named for me. There was a misunderstanding between us which was never cleared up. Oh, you must come with us now, let me introduce my nephew, Dick Redmond—my cousin Esther Mason, Dick. Is it not delightful that you made the mistake about the violets?"

Dick's hand closed around Esther's and his gray eyes sought hers eagerly; perhaps they both thought the mistake about the violets was a delightful occurrence. They said nothing beyond the conventional words of greeting.

"We are on our way to the theater," explained Miss Mason as they passed into the lobby and made their way to the street, where a handsome carriage waited at the curb. "You must come with us—it is your birthday, you know, and between the acts I will ask you about all your home people and we will lay plans for the future."

Dick, following them into the carriage, mentally decided that he, too, was very lonely and that he would make it his business to relieve his solitary condition at the earliest opportunity.

Perhaps he felt a bit encouraged when, as he left Esther at the open door of No. 87 East, he asked her for some of the violets.

"I could not," said the girl quickly, clasping the bunch with eager hands. "You see they mean so much to me—see what they have brought me tonight!" She waved her hand to Miss Mason in the carriage below and then placed it in Redmond's outstretched palm.

He looked at her from grave eyes. "The violets mean so much to me—now—I would like just one," he said.

With downcast face Esther pulled out a little bunch of her precious blossoms and gave them into his hand. Then with a little murmured word of farewell, she disappeared within the door of No. 87 East.

But the look in her eyes as she flew up the long stairs matched the look in Dick Redmond's eyes as he rejoined his aunt.

ROBINS IN KITTERY.

Residents of the Intervene, Kittery, have had the company of robins during the past week to remind them of the good old summer time. Several days they have been seen, and a good sized flock have made their winter home in the woods surrounding the Spicer cottage.

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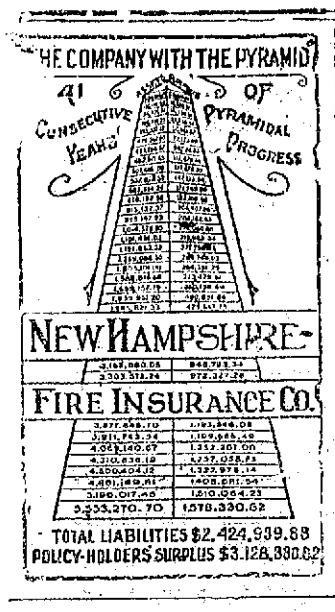

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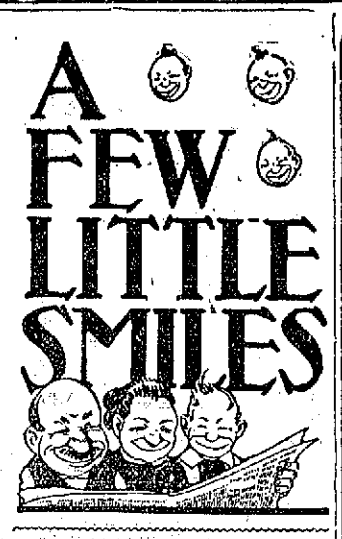

Mere Mediocrity.

"I used to think I possessed the artistic temperament—the sacred fire; but I was mistaken. I'm just one among the millions of common people."

"You have no right to say that! You have done some splendid things—things that you could not possibly have done if you had merely been one among the millions of common people."

"No, you're mistaken. I'm just an ordinary, everyday man. Why, my wife has lived with me for eleven years without ever once thinking of getting a divorce!"—Judge.

I Wonder.

Ella—The gentleman who lodges above appears to be very attentive to you.

Bella—Ah, yes; I am even engaged to him. But yet I am tortured with doubt. Would that I knew whether he loves me for myself alone.

Ella—But why in the world should he marry you otherwise?

Bella—Well, to tell the truth, he owes my mother six months' rent.

Drawing It Off.

"Aren't you afraid your candidate will be defeated by the woman vote?"

"We haven't the slightest fear of the woman vote."

"But it's dead against your men."

"I know, but we've arranged with the big department stores to have bargain sales on election day."

LOGICAL CONCLUSION.

"Beware, my son, of loose methods. Do you know how they generally end?"

"No, sir; how?"

"In tight places."

Giving Him Away.

He rose and made a thoughtful speech,
The people paused to note it,
Remarked a man disposed to "peach,"
"I know his wife. She wrote it."

According to the Agreement.

"Look here," said Blithers angrily, "you sold this car to me last week, guaranteeing that it was odorless, and now it smells like a benzine trust."

"That isn't the car you smell," said the agent. "It's the gasoline."—Harper's Weekly.

A Mistaken Term.

"The lawyer who asked me so many question was very rude in his manner."

"He's noted for his roughness."

"But they told me this case was being tried in a civil court."

Misunderstood.

Sexton—And did the new curate speak?

Parson—Oh, yes; he passed a few cursory remarks.

Sexton—Dear me, sir! How shocking!—Everybody's Weekly.

Beats Description.

Vox Populi—Do you think you've boosted your circulation by giving a year's subscription for the biggest potato raised in the country?"

The Editor—Mebbe not, but I got four barrels of samples.

Most Popular Poison.

"It is incorrect to say that a man 'suicided.'" said the editor.

"That's so," replied the writer; "and besides, it's out of date. The thing to say is that a man cyanided."

Jill of All Trades.

She—Maud is very versatile. Not only can she write a poem, she can also make a pudding.

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PAUL JONES CLUB BANQUET POSTPONED.

Congressman Murdock Unable to Attend Until a Later Date.

The annual banquet of the Paul Jones Club, which was to have been held on Tuesday evening, has been postponed, owing to the fact that Congressman Murdock of Kansas, who was to have been the speaker, is unable to attend. He wired Mr. George A. Wood on Monday afternoon that he could not come until a later date, so the banquet was postponed until a date that will be convenient to Mr. Murdock.

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AN ILLINOIS INQUIRY.

A reader of these notes who lives near Edinburg, Ill., not far from Springfield, writes stating that he lives on a sixty acre farm especially well suited for a dairy farm and makes inquiry as to the wisdom of going into the dairy business. He states that he knows practically nothing of the dairy business, wants to know how many cows a sixty acre farm would support, whether it would be better to sell milk or cream and what would be a reasonable estimate of the amount of milk a cow would give per day during the year and what per cent of it would be cream. While it would be impossible in the limits of such an article as this to give a novice in the dairy business as full directions as he desires, nevertheless a few suggestions may be made that will prove helpful.

A suggestion which our correspondent makes in his letter is excellent—namely, visiting and inspecting for himself some of the most successful dairy farms in the section in which he lives. Here he can make inquiries as to a hundred and one details knowledge of which would be helpful to him if he is going into the dairy business, while the visual impressions he will take away with him from a shipshape dairy farm will be a decided advantage to him. Were we in our correspondent's place we would secure ten or a dozen tested grade cows of the breed which seems to be most numerous in the section in which he lives. He might handle more, but this would do for a start. These cows will cost all the way from $50 to $20 apiece, depending upon their ability to deliver the goods. And in this connection it is well to remember that it is far better in the long run to pay $100 for a cow that the other fellow would rather keep than $40 or $50 for one that he is quite willing to sell.

The "reasonableness" of an estimate as to how much milk a cow would give would depend quite largely upon the amount paid for her and also upon the feed and care given her. A cow that gives 5,000 pounds of 5 per cent milk in a year will produce 250 pounds of butter fat, approximately equal to 312 pounds of butter, worth at an average of 30 cents per pound, $93. Subtracting cost of feed, about $38, leaves a net return of $55 per year. A Holstein to give the same return would have to produce not far from 9,000 pounds of milk containing 3 per cent of butter fat. While she would give more milk, her feed bill would also be larger. If one is willing to pay the price he can reasonably expect as good results as these or better. While the writer is not acquainted with the local conditions, it would be his offhand judgment that selling the cream would be the better proposition, for, while he might not get any more for it than he would for the whole milk, he would have the skimmilk left on the farm for his hogs, calves and chickens, which would be natural byproducts of his dairy operations. If there is not already a silo on our friend's farm he should have one or two, depending upon the number of cows he will ultimately keep. If he does not have them already he should subscribe for a couple of good dairy papers and by reading them carefully and making inquiries of his neighbors who are most successful in the dairy business he will gather information which will be most helpful to him. If he can so arrange it it would give him a good return on the money invested if he would take a short course in dairying at the state agricultural college.

A COSTLY FIASCO.

If some of the would be statesmen that are representing or misrepresenting us down at Washington would get their hands off the political wires long enough to pass a law which will provide for the rigid federal inspection of all imported nursery stock at port of entry and the immediate destruction of all consignments found diseased or infested with the eggs or nests of destructive insects they would confer an inestimable benefit upon the vast horticultural interests of the country. Secretary Wilson is authority for the statement that the United States is practically the only civilized country having horticultural interests of any importance which does not require rigid inspection of imported nursery stock. For lack of the protection which such laws would have given our orchards are infested with various imported scale insects, while the brown tailed moth is another pest which has been imported into the country regularly through lack of federal inspection laws and which is doing untold damage to orchards and shade trees in eastern states. It may not be impertinent to inquire how long this fiasco that Secretary Wilson refers to is going to continue.

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An Iowa farmer who bought a quarter section farm five years ago at $80 an acre has in the meantime kept an accurate account of all receipts and expenditures. He finds that besides keeping his family in comfortable circumstances he saved $2,500 a year in cash. He figures that there has been an average increase in the value of his land per year of $5 per acre, which, added to his net revenue, means that his income from the place has been net $3,300 yearly. Quite likely this is a good deal better than owners of 160 acre farms will average, but it shows what can be done. It would be interesting to know how many husky boys this farmer had helping him with the farm operations.

J. E. Trigg

Training Her.

Once little sister was not very well, and all day long she had been fractious and domineering. At last six-year-old Johnnie's patience came to an end.

"Mother," he demanded, "don't you want sister to be a good wife like you when she's big?"

"Of course, my son."

"Well, then, why don't you start her right? You insist on my giving her everything she wants just because she's a girl and littler'n me, but you're a great deal littler'n daddy, and yet every night when he comes home you jump out of the easy chair and say: 'Here's your chair, John, dear; here's the new magazine; let me run and get your slippers!'" And before his surprised mother could frame a reply Johnnie swooped down and tore his ears from the hands of the screaming baby.

"She'll be a turrible wife if we don't begin to train her," he remarked calmly as he strode from the room, his treasures under his arm.—Ladies' Home Journal.

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Leave Boston for Portsmouth at 7.30 am, 8.41 am, 9.00 am, 10.25 am, 12.50pm, 1.30 pm, 3.30 pm, 4.56 pm, 6.00 pm, 7.30 pm, 10.00 pm. Sundays 4.00 am, 8.20 am, 9.00 am, 1.15 pm, 7.00 pm, 7.30 pm, 10.00 pm.

Leave Portsmouth for Manchester and Concord, 8.34 am, 12.20 pm, 5.30, pm.

Leave Manchester for Portsmouth 7.59 am, 12.51 pm, 4.28 pm.

Leave Portsmouth for Dover, 5.55 am, 9.46 am, 12.22 pm, 2.31 pm, 5.32 pm, 9.15 pm. Sundays, 8.25 am, 10.50 am, 9.15 pm.

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Philip J. Duffy is to build a house on Sparhawk street in the early spring.

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At the meeting of Damon Lodge, No. 9, Knights of Pythias held on Tuesday evening several applications for membership were received.

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There promises to be more building operations with the advent of spring than for several years.

John H. Dowd's Marble and Granite Monumental Works, 52 Market St. Have work done now for Memorial day. Prices right.

More moderate weather has arrived and it is hoped that the weather bureau is right in its prediction that there will not be any more extreme cold weather.

Remember I. O. O. F. Minstrels is Monday evening, Feb. 19th. Sale and dance Tuesday evening, Feb. 20. Season tickets, 25 cents, at Hoyt & Dow's.

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PERSONAL ITEMS

Frank Johnson of Dover was a visitor here today.

H. R. Finley of Boston was here today on business.

Patrick J. Mahon passed Tuesday in Boston with friends.

Chief Engineer John D. Randall is a visitor in Boston today.

Captain William H. White is passing the day in Boston on business.

Our well known citizen Frank W. Rice today reaches another milestone in life's journey.

Mrs. and Mrs. John L. Leavitt have been called to Ashland by the death of the latter's sister.

Mrs. D. H. Childs of Dorchester is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stillson of Lincoln avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Gray of Kittery are today quietly celebrating the eleventh anniversary of their marriage.

Chief Engineer John D. Randall is attending the meeting of the New England Fire Chiefs' Association in Boston today.

Mrs. Susan Townsend of Daniel street attended the meeting of the Pomona grange with Oceanside grange at Hampton today.

Mrs. Charles O. Hill, who has been seriously ill, has so far recovered as to be able to be out again, much to the gratification of her many friends.

ITEMS OF INTEREST TO EMPLOYES AT THE NAVY YARD

Goes to the Salem.

Commander Johnstone, commanding the gunboat Marietta has been detached and ordered to duty on the scout cruiser Salem.

Starting to Send Them Here Again.

Twenty prisoners from several naval stations along the coast have arrived at the prison ship Southery and Naval prison since Sunday last to serve sentences imposed by court martial. For several months they have been sent by the department to Port Royal detention barracks.

Only One Flag.

Outside of ships in commission only one American flag will be flying in the future at navy yards. This latest order does away with the National emblem at the marine barracks and naval prisons.

To Build Sailing Launch.

A thirty foot sailing launch for Norfolk navy yard has been ordered built by the hull division.

Schooner Finishes Discharging.

The schooner Grace M. Martin, which has been discharging 5000 ton of coal was cleared on Tuesday and sailed for Newport News.

Will Report Next Week.

Naval Constructor Guy A. Bissett who is to succeed Constructor R. W. Ryden at this station will report for duty on Thursday next.

Vessel Movement.

Arrived—Hannibal at Cape Gracias-a-Dios, Cincinnati at Tengchow.

Sailed—Prairie, from Santo Domingo City for Mobile; Celtic and Uncas, from Guantanamo for Charleston; Culgoa and Paulding, from navy yard, New York, for Guantanamo; Petrel, from Puerto Cortez for Bluefields; California, South Dakota and Colorado, from Honolulu for cruise.

Collier Put in to Boston.

The new collier Neptune, which has been having a standardization trial off the Rockland course, arrived at Boston yard on Tuesday completely covered with ice. After taking on 40,000 gallons of fresh water she will sail for Guantanamo, Cuba.

Inspecting Lumber.

Foreman Boyle of the joiners shop has been sent by the department to Woodford, Vt., to inspect a purchase of lumber recently made by the department for this yard.

BIG VAUDEVILLE AND MOTION PICTURE SHOW AT MUSIC HALL TODAY.

Picture, "Her Dad's Watch," Essanay

Song, "Come Around Any Old Time," Ethel Wood.

Picture, "Jean Intervenes," Vitagraph

Act, "Helene Belle," Singing Girl.

Picture, "Quiting the Neighbors," G. C. P. C.

Act, "Enoch, the Great Water Man."

Picture, "Tracked Down," Essanay

Act, "La Petite Dorothe," Russian Dancer.

Song, "The Rag Time Violin," Ethel Wood.

Picture, "Winning Is Losing," Essanay

OBITUARY

Mary C. Taylor.

Died, Feb. 14th, at her home, 144 Washington street, Mary C. Taylor, widow of Samuel Taylor, aged 83 years, 1 month, 19 days.

OBSEQUIES

Mrs. Annie Brooks.

The funeral of Mrs. Annie Brooks was held from her late home in Newington, today, at 2 p. m., Rev L. H. Thayer officiating. Interment was in Newington cemetery in charge of Undertaker G. W. Ham.

MARRIED IN CONNECTICUT.

Clyde F. Norton, an apprentice at the naval hospital, and Miss Florence M. Hett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hett, were recently married by Rev. William C. Prentiss at East Hartford, Conn.

GIRLS WANTED In stitching room. Apply Gale Shoe company. f14eod3t

S. H. Bowen of Boston was a visitor here on Tuesday.

MANY MIS-MATED COUPLES ARE GIVEN FREEDOM BY COURT

Session of Superior Court is Practically Closed.

The session of superior court which began on Feb. 5, practically closed on Tuesday until March 19. The matter of the town of Hampton against a number of its citizens for the payment of sewer assessments, which was begun Monday, will be taken to the supreme court, while it has been before and also the case of General Stephen H. Gale vs. the Exeter Building association, a local case which attracted much attention, will go to the higher court for settlement.

Additional divorce cases are Hallie B. Somers of East Kingston from George A. for habitual drunkenness; Cordelia Sawyer of Portsmouth from Ernest A., abandonment; Lucy E. Albert of Northwood from William J., extreme cruelty; Lucinda P. York of Fremont from Melvin F., willing absence; Louise S. F. Parker of Exeter from Frank J., conduct injurious to health. A decree of nullity of marriage was made in Sarah J. Page of Brentwood vs. William McLadd.

CHILD PLAYING WITH MATCHES SETS BED AFIRE

Child's Cries Alarm Father and Blaze is Extinguished

There was considerable excitement on High street shortly after 7 o'clock last evening, when a young child of Mr. and Mrs. George Pahl, while playing with matches set her bed afire. After setting the bedclothes afire the child's night dress caught afire and this caused her to run to the room where another child was sleeping. The cries of the child alarmed the father, who was down stairs, and he rushed up and threw the bedclothing out of the window into the yard. The fire was extinguished without the summoning of the fire department. The prompt work of Mr Pahls no doubt prevented a serious fire.

The members of the Choo-Choo club are thinking about having Frank Thomas' address on "Woman's Suffrage," published in pamphlet form for free distribution.

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Roast of Beef,	All Prices
Cream of Wheat	2 pkg. 25c
Sugar corn,	3 cans 25c
Macaroni,	3 pkgs. 25c
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